

Christmas games, if one wants to carry out in them the real spirit of the occasion, are a little different from the pastimes of other seasons. For one thing, they have an old-fashioned flavor. Out of doors sports are in order for those who live in the country; and indoors, blindman's bluff—Hoodman Blind, as it was anciently called—charades, riddles, snapdragon, Christmas candles, hot coconuts, and all such diversions, are strictly correct.

But in spite of their historical interest, not many will care to pass the whole evening in his fashion. Something a little more modern will be wanted. "What is My Thought Like?" makes no end of fun. One person is selected to ask the question and each answers as he will. When all have replied, the questioner tells what his thought is, and each must then tell how his answer fits the thought. Some rather ingenious and amusing reasoning is evolved. In answering the question, "What is My Thought Like?" it may be necessary to caution each one that he must remember what he says; or else later on when told to fit his answer to the thought, he may have forgotten what he said. Sometimes it is well for the questioner to write the answers down.

Another game that is diverting is "How, When, and Where." One person leaves the room, and the others select a word that has several meanings, such as trunk. The one sent out is then called and puts to each the question, "How do you like it?" Some answer with the word used in one sense, some in another. When he has questioned all, if he can not yet guess the word, he can make the rounds again with the question, "When do you like it?" and yet a third time with, "Where do you like it?"

For New Year affairs a lot of fun is assured, if each is given a pencil and paper and asked to make up a set of New Year resolutions for some other member of the party. When all are finished the various resolutions are read aloud.

Another interesting diversion for a New Year party is to attach to each guest a little card bearing a drawing, a picture, a couplet, or something illustrative of some historical event. All are then given pencils and paper, and a certain definite time is allowed to puzzle out what each such card represents. For instance, a picture of an Indian and the words, "I am discovered," would suggest instantly the discovery of America, a Liberty Bell and 1776, the Declaration of Independence, and so on. They should not all be made so easy as these, but a few simple ones should be sprinkled through. A prize could be given to the one guessing the greatest number correctly.

As souvenirs for a New Year party eleven little couplets foretelling the fortunes for the coming year are always popular. These can be enclosed in English walnut shells, and a hint instituted for them. Or each guest can be given the end of a ribbon which he or she is to follow through many windings and mix-ups, all emblematic of the year to come, until the real prophecy is found at the end.

SOCIAL NEWS OF THE DAY.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Frank Atherton have gone to Haleiwa for a couple of days.

A number of townspeople have received invitations to the dance at Fort Shafter to be given tomorrow night.

The Lamcheon Club has postponed their meeting of today until next Thursday, when Miss Julia Me-Stocker will entertain.

Miss Ethel Bishop is giving a luncheon at the Country Club today for fourteen.

Mrs. Watkins, wife of Lieutenant Watkins of Fort de Russy, is hostess at a luncheon at her home today.

Mr. Colin C. Palmerston, a young newspaper man from Pasadena arrived on the Siberia. He hopes to locate here permanently.

A delightful time is reported by those attending Admiral and Mrs. Cowles' Christmas entertainment last Sunday night. Thirty-five guests were invited.

Eggnogs was served during the evening. Among those present were Captain and Mrs. Carter, General and Mrs. Macomb, Judge and Mrs. Kingsbury, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Tenney Peck, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilder, Major and Mrs. Neville, Mr. and Mrs. Me-Stocker and others.

Among the guests who attended Mrs. Neville's Christmas eggnog were Major and Mrs. Wooten, Captain and Mrs. Carter, Captain and

OVER THE TEACUPS. By Meg Negley.

CALLING DAYS FOR HONOLULU.
Mondays: Punahou, College Hills, Manoa, Makiki.
Tuesdays: Waikiki, Kapiolani Park, Kaimuki, Palolo.
Wednesdays: Nuuanu, Punahou, Pacific Heights. First and Third Wednesdays above Nuuanu Bridge. Second and Fourth Wednesdays below Bridge.
Fourth Wednesday, Pacific Heights.
Thursdays: The Plains.
Fridays: Hotels and town.
Fourth Friday, Fort Shafter.
First Tuesday, Fort Ruger.
Saturdays: Kailhi, Third and Fourth Saturdays, Kamehameha Schools.

organizations of the city.

Mr. Warren is a college man and has been employed in the Hawaiian Planters' Experiment Station for the past two years.

They have the good wishes of the community.

The Service Bridge Club met yesterday at the Colonial with Mrs. Tuttle as hostess, and Mrs. Harry Wilder the guest of the occasion.

The usual rubbers of bridge were played and prizes given to those scoring highest.

Mrs. Turner received the first prize, which was a handsomely embroidered Chinese silk fan with sandalwood mountings; the second prize was a Japanese bamboo basket, which Mrs. Marx won. The heart prize was won by Miss Edith Cowles.

Mrs. Watkins will entertain the club at its next meeting.

Those present yesterday were Mrs. Alfred Putnam, Mrs. Roy Francis Smith, Miss Kathryn Stephens, Mrs. Gerald Johnston, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Ross Kingsbury, Miss Rockwell, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Tuttle.

The tea and dance given on board the flagship California this afternoon by Admiral and Mrs. Thomas is complimentary to the young ladies of Honolulu who entertained the officers of the fleet with a ball on December 13.

Among the ladies who will act as patronesses for the ball to be given by the Merchants' Association to the officers of the Pacific fleet are Mrs. Walter Cowles, Mrs. Macomb, Mrs. Francis Swanzy, Mrs. Gerrit Wilder, Mrs. Neville, Mrs. Timberlake, Mrs. Ollie Swain, Mrs. Ed Tenney, Mrs. Harold Dillingham, Mrs. C. C. von Hamm, Mrs. James Wilder, Mrs. Ross Kingsbury, Mrs. Arthur Marx, Mrs. George Davies, Mrs. Harry Hepburn, Mrs. Wooten, Mrs. Clifton Carter, Mrs. George Sherman, Mrs. Walter Dillingham, Mrs. Roy Francis Smith, Mrs. Helen Noonan, Mrs. Gaylor, Mrs. Carl Hedeman, Mrs. J. S. Walker, Mrs. A. J. Campbell, Mrs. F. A. Schaefer, Mrs. Benjamin Lodge Marx, Mrs. Hobbs, Mrs. Oscar White, Mrs. Gignaux and Mrs. George Potter.

The wedding of Miss Lillian D. Paty to Mr. William D. Singlehurst took place last night at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. E. A. Mott-Smith, at 1731 Nuuanu street.

The home was artistically decorated with green and white, with a touch of pink in the masses of delicate carnations which were used with white flowers.

A beautiful bridal bower was fashioned with banks of green ferns and vines arranged over a large screen.

Reverend Henry Parker, an old friend of the family, performed the ceremony, and Mrs. Harry A. Baldwin played Mendelssohn's wedding march.

The bride was given away by her brother, Hon. E. A. Mott-Smith, and the groom was attended by Mr. Donald Ross.

Only relatives and a few of the most intimate friends of the family were present.

After the wedding light refreshments were served, and the happy couple went away for a honeymoon.

Prominent among the passengers who arrived on the Siberia Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. George A. Vedder of Pasadena, Cal., whose honeymoon will be spent in Honolulu. Mrs. Vedder was before her marriage Miss Florence Thomson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dawson Thomson, wealthy and prominent residents of the Crown City. Their marriage was preceded by a long list of brilliant pre-nuptial functions, and for six weeks preceding their marriage there was scarcely a day or evening unmarked by some delightful social affair in their honor. The wedding, the following account of which appeared in the Pasadena News of December 15, took place



PRINCESS INFANTA EULALIA.

The Princess recently wrote a book advocating divorce in certain circumstances. King Alfonso, on hearing of it, instantly telegraphed the Princess, his aunt: "I order you to suspend publication until I have taken cognizance of the contents and give my permission to publish."

The Princess wired back: "I consider myself, so far as my private life is concerned, free to act as I deem fit." (The Princess has since sent a letter to the King, asking him to pardon her, and saying that she had acted in a moment of forgetfulness.)

denna News of December 15, took place December 14.

As a fitting climax to an unprecedented number of delightful social functions incidental to the marriage of Miss Florence Martha Thomson and George Arthur Vedder came the wedding last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dawson Thomson of South Orange Grove avenue.

Few weddings of such elaborate appointment and such perfection of detail have been characterized by a hospitality so cordial as to create an entertainment so conventionally ornate an atmosphere of such warm-hearted informality as that which gave this charming function its peculiar charm.

The house was artistically decorated with flowers, a color scheme of green and white being consistently carried out everywhere, giving a bridal effect, and from the curb to the entrance hall the approach was enclosed in canvas, making a wide passage for the many guests who gathered to witness this marriage. Palms and exotics were grouped about the entrance and the canvas-enclosed porch where refreshments were served were also ornamented with palms and bamboo. In the rose-colored drawing-room the frieze was outlined with asparagus fern and great bows of white tulle were fastened at the electrolators. The hallway from vestibule to stairway was decorated profusely with smilax and white roses and the vestibule was transformed into a leafy chapel. Here an altar was improvised, illuminated with white waxen tapers and banked with white chrysanthemums. White satin cushions and white satin ribbon barriers marked the place of ceremony. The staircase down which the bride party came was wreathed with smilax and a deep network of green dotted with white rose buds, was carried across the upper portion of the arched doorways which led into the library and dining-room, where the table was laid for the bridal party only. Here white bride's roses and ferns with white tulle, satin ribbons and dainty accessories made a charming picture.

At 8 o'clock the Rev. Leslie E. Learned, who performed the ceremony, in his white robe, took his place in before the altar and was joined from a side entrance by the groom and his best man, Howard Rath of Los Angeles. White Arend's orchestra was playing Lohengrin's Wedding March the bridal party appeared on the stairway, the ushers forming two lines either side of the passage fell into line two by two as the bridesmaids passed down the stairs. Misses Ada Seely and Margaret Percy were followed by Messrs. Irving Benton and Harold Knight. Misses Margaret Sherck and Grace Greenwood were followed by Messrs. Thomas Norton and Roydon Vosburg. Misses Katherine Wadsworth and Irene Vedder were followed by Messrs. James Norton and Gamble Reikhard. The bridesmaids made a charming picture in gowns of white satin en train with short tunics of white chiffon embroidered in gold, and about the head a white tulle bandeau was worn fastened with a gold ornament. The maids carried shower bouquets of deep red roses. The matron of honor, Mrs. Roydon Vosburg, came next, wearing her own wedding gown of white satin, and her bandeau was a combination of deep red tulle with the white, corresponding with her bouquet, which was a sheaf of red roses. Miss Marie Right, the maid of honor, wore white satin with an overdrape of chiffon studded with rhinestones, and carried also a shower of red roses. The bride, who came leaning on her father's arm, was a radi-

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and its management should be congratulated upon the brilliant success achieved in serving so many with such promptness and dispatch. One of the unexpected and interesting events of the evening was the announcement at the bridal party table of the engagement of one of the bridesmaids, Miss Ada Seely, and Mr. Roy Bailey of Los Angeles, and the newly affianced maid was made the subject of speech-making and congratulation.

As the guests departed each was presented with a box of wedding cake ornamented with a monogram of gold. In one of the upper rooms the wedding gifts were arranged that the guests might have an opportunity of seeing the many costly and elegant remembrances which had been showered upon this popular young couple.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Vedder departed upon their wedding journey, the destination having been kept a secret, but it is generally understood that they sail Tuesday on the Siberia for Honolulu. The bride's going-away gown is blue and grey mixed cheviot tailor-made, and she wore a black velvet hat trimmed with red japonicas. Mr. and Mrs. Vedder will be at home to their friends in February at 275 Palmetto Drive in the new home recently built for them.

Hilo Railroad Co. directors will hold a meeting to consider the form of agreement and rules and regulations of the Hilo wharf adopted by the harbor commissioners.

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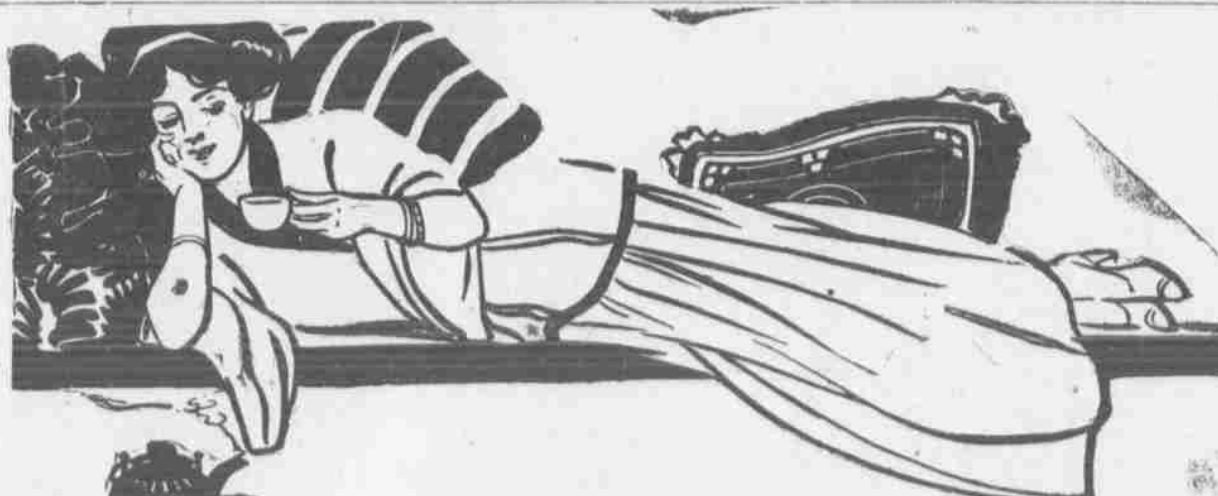
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